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Via ECF

Hon. Jennifer E. Willis Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse Courtroom 228 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: 1:23-cv-01880, JOHN IMHOF / NEW YORK CITY HOUSING AUTHORITY, DANIEL SHERROD, RICHARD MORRISON, and ANDREW LUPIN, Oral Argument on Dkt. 101-117, Motion to Disqualify and Motion for Summary Judgment.

Hon. Judge Willis,

On October 31, 2024, this Court created a briefing schedule for the above listed motions, and noted "[i]f necessary, oral argument will be held on January 8, 2025 at 11:00 AM in Courtroom 228 of the Thurgood Marshall Courthouse, 40 Foley Square, New York, New York, 10007." Dkt. 100. Plaintiff's counsel has a Southern District of New York mediation scheduled for January 8, 2025 pursuant to the district's automatic referral program. Given the conflict, Plaintiff inquires into whether i) the Court believes that oral argument is necessary and ii) if so, whether such an oral argument may be continued to another day. Defendant Sherrod is not opposed to a continuance, but Defendants New York City Housing Authority, Richard Morrison, and Andrew Lupin join only to seek clarity on whether arguments will be necessary. Counsel for Defendants New York City Housing Authority, Richard Morrison, and Andrew Lupin will be unavailable the week of January 13 – 17, 2025.

Plaintiff respectfully seeks insight into whether the Court believes oral argument will be necessary and whether the Court believes a continuation of the January 8, 2025 hearing is appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

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Oral argument, currently scheduled for January 8, 2025, is ADJOURNED SINE DIE. SO ORDERED.

ZENNIFER E. WILLIS

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE January 7, 2025